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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : Jonathan S. Stamler et al.

SERIAL NUMBER. : 10/045,603

EXAMINER : Jean C. Witz

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ART UNIT : 1651

FOR : ***RED BLOOD CELLS LOADED WITH S-NITROSOTHIOL AND
USES THEREFOR***

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

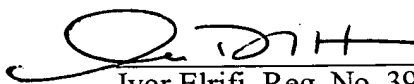
1. Amendment and Response to Non-Final Office Action, 8 pages;
2. Petition for One-Month Extension of Time, 1 page;
3. Extension Fee – Check # 1870 for \$55.00;
4. Return Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (212) 935-3000.

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Respectfully submitted,

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